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Walker Proposals Remove Barriers to Family Supporting Jobs

MADISON - The co-chairs of the state's budget-writing Joint Committee on Finance, State Senator Alberta Darling (R-River Hills) and State Representative John Nygren (R-Marinette), issued the following statement regarding Governor Walker's Workforce Readiness Plan:

"This morning, Governor Walker announced bold proposals to remove barriers that can block workers from good-paying, family-supporting jobs. It's clear the Governor is focusing on what he has heard from employers and workers to address the challenges they face in today's economy.

"Too often we hear from employers that they can't find skilled workers for the jobs they need to fill. Governor Walker's plan is a great step in making sure Wisconsin workers have the training they need to succeed in our state's workforce. We hope Democrats will join in supporting these investments in Wisconsin workers.

"We look forward to working with the Governor to make sure our state continues to build on our economic comeback."

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